

We claim:

1. A computer-implemented method comprising:

5 sending a request for network account credentials from an originating account associated with an unpublished object to a dispatch associated with a published object, the request sent to the published object associated with the dispatch includes identification of the unpublished object associated with the originating account; authenticating the originating account at the dispatch; and, upon authenticating the originating account, sending an emblem for a network account to the originating account, the emblem sent to the unpublished object associated with the originating account and having the identification as included with the request.

2. The method of claim 1, wherein the request is unencrypted, and the emblem is encrypted.

3. The method of claim 1, wherein each of the published object and the unpublished object comprises a message queue.

4. The method of claim 1, wherein each of the published object and the unpublished object comprises a file.

5. The method of claim 1, wherein the emblem comprises a token.

6. The method of claim 1, wherein the network account for which the emblem is sent from the dispatch to the originating account comprises a batch account of the dispatch.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein sending an emblem for the network account to the originating account comprises remoting the batch account to the originating account, such that the emblem comprises an emblem for the batch account.

8. The method of claim 1, wherein the network account for which the emblem is sent from the dispatch to the originating account comprises an agent account of an agent.

9. The method of claim 1, wherein sending an emblem for the network account to the originating account comprises:

proxy logging on to the agent; and,

remoting the agent account to the originating account upon proxy log on to the agent, such that the emblem comprises an emblem for the agent account.

10. The method of claim 1, wherein the emblem is expirable, such that the method further comprises determining whether the emblem is about to expire, and upon so determining, renewing the emblem with a renewing authority.

11. A computer-implemented method comprising:

sending an unencrypted request for network account credentials from an originating account to a dispatch;

authenticating the originating account at the dispatch;

upon authenticating the originating account,
proxy logging on to an agent account; and,
transmitting an emblem including network account credentials for one of the
agent account and a batch account back to the originating account to satisfy the request
5 for network account credentials sent from the originating account.

12. The method of claim 11, wherein the originating account has associated therewith an
unpublished object, the unpublished object identified within the request from the
originating account for credentials of a network account, and designed to receive the
agent account emblem satisfying the request.

10 13. The method of claim 12, wherein the unpublished object comprises one of: a file, and
a message queue.

14. The method of claim 11, wherein a published object is associated with the dispatch,
the published object designed to receive the request for the network account credentials.

15 15. The method of claim 14, wherein the published object comprises one of: a file, and a
message queue.

16. The method of claim 11, wherein the emblem is expirable, such that when the
emblem is about to expire, the emblem is renewed with a renewing authority.

17. A computerized system comprising:

a plurality of network accounts, each account capable of being proxy logged onto and of being remoted to another account; and,

a dispatch designed to field requests for network account credentials from the plurality of accounts, and to satisfy each request for network account credentials from an originating account by proxy logging onto an account capable of being proxy logged onto such that credentials for the account are remoted back to the originating account as the network account credentials requested.

18. The system of claim 17, wherein the dispatch is further designed to satisfy a request for network account credentials from an originating account by returning an emblem including network account credentials for a batch account of the dispatch as the network account credentials requested.

19. The system of claim 17, wherein the dispatch is further designed to satisfy a request for network account credentials from an originating account only upon first authenticating the originating account.

20. The system of claim 17, wherein a published object is associated with the dispatch, the published object designed to receive the requests for network account credentials.

21. The system of claim 20, wherein the published object comprises one of: a file, and a message queue.